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In re application of

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DIABESTES BY INCREASING THE NUMBER OF ISLETS OF LANGERHANS

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REPLY

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 2, 2007, please amend the claims as follows and consider the remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.